

About the Youth Tennis Program

The Houston Parks and Recreation Department Youth Tennis Program is a FREE program offered at a variety of public parks throughout the year. In partnership with Houston Tennis Association, Inc. - National Junior Tennis and Learning (HTA NJTL), the program provides children with fundamentals of the game of tennis and educational components that develop life skills.

About NJTL

National Junior Tennis and Learning or NJTL was established in 1969 by tennis pros Arthur Ashe, Charlie Pasarell and Sheridan Snyder, with the goal of developing the character of young people through tennis by:

- 🍌 **Reaching** out to those who may not otherwise have the opportunity to learn and play tennis.
- 🍌 **Instilling** the values of leadership and academic excellence.
- 🍌 **Giving** youngsters the opportunity to fully develop their tennis skills so they can derive a lifetime of enjoyment from the sport.

About Classes

Tennis classes are categorized by age group with some separation based on skill within scheduled times. If it rains and the courts are unplayable, class is cancelled. Schedules may change due to demand or need and enrollment will be limited. If there is a question, please call the Youth Tennis Office at (832) 395-7561.

Helpful Reminders

- ✓ Wear smooth-soled tennis shoes and light-colored clothing.
- ✓ Bring water to tennis class to remain hydrated.
- ✓ Sunscreen and a hat help protect skin from intense sun.
- ✓ Use the restroom before arriving to class.



Show Your
Support...
Join Today!



For \$25, become a member of the Houston Youth Tennis Association (HYTA) and receive a new tennis racquet and ball (age appropriate for your child) while supporting the tennis program! Go to www.houstonyouthtennis.org or ask an instructor for a brochure.

Or, support HTA NJTL by participating in the annual fundraising campaigns. Please send tax-deductible donations to:

Houston Tennis Association NJTL
3535 Briarpark Drive, Suite 215
Houston TX 77042
www.houstontennis.org



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Additional Support:



PLEASE CONTACT US AT:

Houston Parks and Recreation Department
Youth Tennis Office
c/o Memorial Park Tennis Center
1500 Memorial Loop Drive, Houston, TX 77007
(832) 395-7561 Fax: (832) 395-7158
www.houstonparks.org



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Youth Tennis Program (HTA NJTL Chapter)



2020 Summer Schedule

Session I: June 15 – July 2

Session II: July 6 – July 23

Monday - Thursday

Free tennis programs for youth ages 4-18
At neighborhood parks across Houston

Changes for Summer 2020

This summer, as the city recovers from the COVID-19 pandemic, the youth tennis program will take the following precautions:

- Class size will be limited (with waiting list)
- Each student must have own racquet
- Social distancing will be encouraged
- NJTL special events will not be held
- Students may enroll for only one site
- An enrolled student who does not attend first day of class forfeits their spot
- Priority for Session II given to those not enrolled in Session I
- Students who are sick or exhibit signs of illness should not participate

The hope is that 2021 will see the return of the traditional and well-loved NJTL events. For this summer, some events will have a site-specific approach. We appreciate your understanding and support.

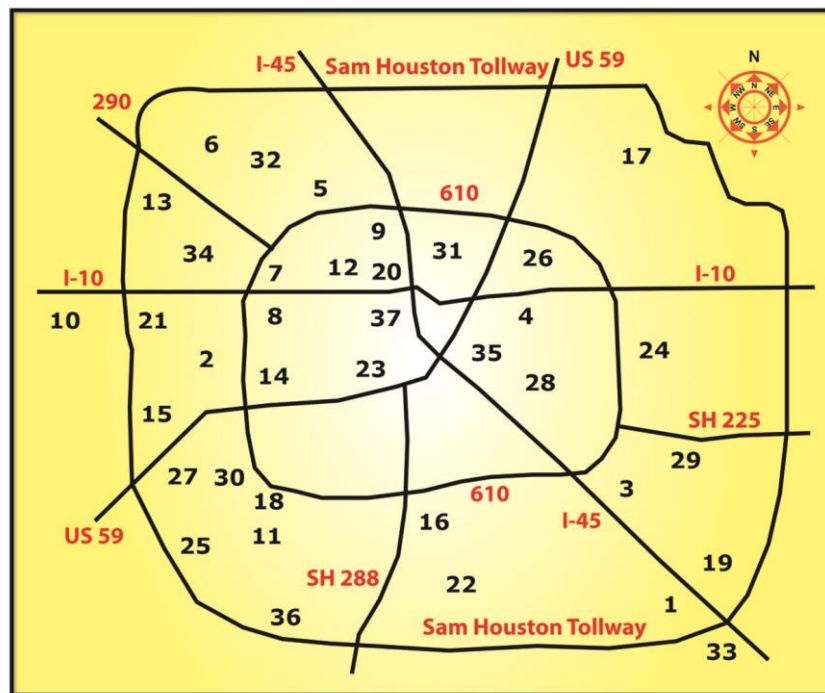
How to Register

First find the site that is most convenient for you by checking out the map on the other side of this brochure. The morning sites are numbered 1-20 and the afternoon sites are numbered 21-37. To the side of each number is the name, address, key map and phone number for that site. If a community center is open, that phone number is listed; otherwise, the youth tennis office number is provided.



Online registration is available through the youth tennis link at www.houstonparks.org or www.houstonyouthtennis.org. Enrollment is limited. If class is full, you will be given the option of signing up for the waiting list or consider an alternative site. Registration for Session I closes when class is full or June 18. Session II registration opens June 19 and closes when class is full or July 9.

All tennis instructors are Safe Play certified and utilize the USTA Net Generation ROGY (Red, Orange, Green, Yellow) curriculum.



Summer Morning Sites: (Key Map #)

Session I: June 15 - July 2 (M-Th)

Session II: July 6 - July 23 (M-Th)

Ages 4-6 8:15 - 9:00 a.m.
Ages 7-10 9:00 - 10:00 a.m.
Ages 11-18 10:00 - 11:15 a.m.

1. Beverly Hills (576S)—10201 Kingspoint, 77075 (832) 395-7561
2. Briarmeadow (490Z)—7703 Richmond, 77063 (832) 395-7561
3. Charlton (535P)—8200 Park Place, 77017 (832) 395-7561
4. Finnigan (494G)—4900 Providence, 77020 (832) 395-7561
5. Graham (452R)—540 W 34th St, 77018 (832) 395-7561
6. Highland (451D)—3316 DeSoto, 77091 (832) 395-7561
7. Jaycee (452W)—1300 Seamist, 77008 (832) 395-7561
8. Memorial Park (492F)—1500 Memorial Loop Dr, 77007 for Youth Tennis call (832) 395-7561; center is (832) 395-7556
9. Montie Beach (453X)—915 Northwood, 77009 (832) 395-7561
10. Nottingham (489E)—14205 Kimberley, 77079 (832) 395-7561
11. Platou (571B)—11655 Chimney Rock, 77035 (832) 395-7561
12. Proctor Plaza (453X)—803 W Temple, 77009 (832) 395-7561
13. R. L. & Cora Johnson (450A)—9920 Porto Rico, 77041 (832) 395-7561
14. River Oaks (492S)—3600 Locke Ln, 77027 (832) 395-7561
15. Sharpstown (530F)—6600 Harbor Town, 77036 (832) 395-7605
16. Sunnyside (533X)—3502 Bellfort, 77051 (832) 395-7586
17. Tidwell (454D)—9720 Spaulding, 77016 (713) 636-8221
18. Westwood (532S)—40 45 Lemac, 77025 (832) 395-7561
19. Wilson Memorial (576G)—100 Gilpin, 77034 (832) 395-7561
20. Woodland (493C)—212 Parkview, 77009 (713) 867-0401

Summer Afternoon Sites: (Key Map #)

Session I: June 15 - July 2 (M-Th)

Session II: July 6 - July 23 (M-Th)

Ages 4-6 4:15 - 5:00 p.m.
Ages 7-10 5:00 - 6:00 p.m.
Ages 11-18 6:00 - 7:15 p.m.

21. Bendwood (489H)—12700 Kimberley, 77024 (832) 395-7561
22. Bessie Swindle (573L)—11800 Scott, 77047 (832) 395-7561
23. Cherryhurst (492V)—1700 Missouri, 77006 (832) 395-7561
24. Clinton (495U)—200 Mississippi, 77029 (832) 395-7561
25. Haviland (570H)—11600 Haviland, 77035 (832) 395-7561
26. Hutcheson (454U)—5400 Lockwood, 77026 (832) 395-7561
27. Lee LeClear^ (530P)—9506 S Gessner, 77074 (832) 395-7561; center is (713) 272-3697; ^class times are 4-4:45 p.m. for ages 4-6, 4:45-5:45 p.m. for ages 7-10, 5:45-7 p.m. for ages 11-18
28. Mason (535A)—541 S 75th St, 77023 (713) 928-7055
29. Meadowcreek (536S)—5333 Berry Creek, 77017 (832) 395-7561
30. Meyerland (531Q)—5151 Jason, 77096 (832) 395-7561
31. Moody (453Y)—3725 Fulton, 77009 (713) 692-6925
32. Oak Forest (452N)—2100 Judiway, 77018 (832) 395-7561
33. Sagemont (576Y)—11507 Hughes, 77089 (281) 922-2343
34. Schwartz (451N)—8203 Vogue, 77055 (832) 395-7561
35. Settegast (494N)—3000 Garrow, 77003 (832) 395-7561
36. Windsor Village (571P)—14441 Croquet, 77085 (832) 395-7561
37. **ADAPTIVE TENNIS** at the Metropolitan Multi-Service Center (492R)—1475 West Gray, 77019 (832) 395-7333; for those with physical difficulties who have independent functioning; Classes for age 8 through adult on Tuesdays 7:30-9 p.m.